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SUBJ: RED: ESCAP: CHANGE NOTED IN NEW DELHI DECLARATION

REF : NEW DELHI 3184

1. BY CHANCE, RED HAS JUST NOTED THAT PHRASE QUOTE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER UNQUOTE WHICH APPEARED IN PARA 9 OF NEW DELHI DECLARATION HAS BEEN CAPITALIZED IN ESCAP ANNUAL REPORT (PAGE 39, DOCUMENT E/5656). CHANGE OVERLOOKED WHEN ANNUAL REPORT FIRST APPEARED LAST WEEK BUT ESCAP PRESS RELEASE APPEARING THIS WEEK DEVOTED SOLELY TO NEW DELHI DECLARATION CONTAINED CAPITALIZED VERSION, THEREBY STIMULATING CLOSER REVIEW OF ANNUAL REPORT.

2. AS DESCRIBED REFTTEL, ONE OF KEY CONCESSIONS OBTAINED BY U.S. DELEGATION DURING THREE-DAY NEGOTIATION OF NEW DELHI DECLARATION AT ESCAP 31ST SESSION WAS ELIMINATION OF DEFINITE ARTICLE AND UPPER CASE FROM NIEO PHRASE IN FINAL PARAGRAPH. DRAFT ANNUAL REPORT (DOCUMENT ESCAP/183, 7 MARCH 1975) SHOWS LANGUAGE US ACCEPTED IN CHAPTER III.

3. RED'S INITIAL EXPLORATION WITHIN ESCAP SECRETARIAT INDICATES BENNY WIDJONO (A TEXAS UNIVERSITY GRADUATE AT THAT), WHO COVERED RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE DEBATE, DECIDED ON RETURN TO BANGKOK THAT

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CONSENSUS OF MEETING INDICATED THAT NIEO SHOULD APPEAR IN

UPPER RATHER THAN LOWER CASE. UNFORTUNATELY, BENNY HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED TO ECLA SECRETARIAT IN SANTIAGO AND CANNOT BE QUESTIONED HERE. RED UNDERSTANDS MARAMIS' SPECIAL ASSISTANT RUDY GONTHA MADE FINAL DECISION ON THIS QUESTION, AND HE WILL BE ASKED ABOUT IT ON HIS RETURN FROM HIS PACIFIC TOUR WITH MARAMIS JUNE 5 OR 6.

4. COMMENT AND RECOMMENDATION: RED BELIEVES WE HAVE BEEN HAD. ARGUMENT ON THIS ISSUE AT NEW DELHI WAS TOO SHRILL TO HAVE BEEN OVERLOOKED. MOST LIKELY RUDY GONTHA WEIGHED THE COSTS BETWEEN US IRRITATION AND G-77 (AND POSSIBLY INDIAN MAFIA) MACHINATIONS IN NEW YORK AGAINST MARAMIS AND OPTED FOR THE FORMER AS LESS PAINFUL IN LONG RUN. RED DOES NOT RPT NOT RECOMMEND MAKING A BIG ISSUE OVER MATTER, BECAUSE UN SYSTEM CAN ALWAYS FALL BACK ON TYPO-GRAPHICAL ERROR AS AN EXCUSE. NEVERTHELESS, DEPENDING ON WHAT GONTHA TELLS US NEXT WEEK, RED INTENDS TO REMIND HIM US STILL DOES NOT LIKE TO BE DOUBLE-CROSSED, ESPECIALLY AFTER LONG, INVOLVED NEGOTIATIONS AND OBJECTS STRONGLY TO SUCH DECEITFUL ACTION. WE SHALL KEEP THIS INCIDENT IN MIND IN FUTURE CONFERENCES AND ACT ACCORDINGLY.
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